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| <b>PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)<br/>FY 2006</b><br>(Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).)  |   | <b>Docket Number (Optional)</b><br>TOW-066RCE |                         |
| <b>Application Number</b> 10/795,952-Conf. #1413  |   | <b>Filed</b> March 8, 2004                    |                         |
| <b>For</b> FUEL CELL WITHOUT Z-LIKE CONNECTION PLATES AND THE METHOD OF PRODUCING THE SAME  |   |   |                         |
| <b>Art Unit</b> 1745  |   | <b>Examiner</b> T. S. H. Chuo                 |                         |
| This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.<br>The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below): |   |   |                         |
|   |   | <b>Fee</b>                                    | <b>Small Entity Fee</b> |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>   | One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))   | \$120   | \$60 \$ 120.00          |
| <input type="checkbox"/>  | Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))  | \$450   | \$225 \$                |
| <input type="checkbox"/>  | Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))  | \$1020  | \$510 \$                |
| <input type="checkbox"/>  | Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))   | \$1590  | \$795 \$                |
| <input type="checkbox"/>  | Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))   | \$2160  | \$1080 \$               |
| <input type="checkbox"/>  | Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.  |   |                         |
| <input type="checkbox"/>  | A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.   |   |                         |
| <input type="checkbox"/>  | Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.  |   |                         |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>   | The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.   |   |                         |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>   | The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 12-0080. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet. |   |                         |
| I am the <input type="checkbox"/> applicant/inventor.   |   |   |                         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.<br>Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).   |   |   |                         |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent of record. Registration Number 38,220   |   |   |                         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34.   |   |   |                         |
| Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34   |   |   |                         |
| Signature<br><i>Anthony A. Laurentano</i>   |   | Date<br>July 13, 2007                         |                         |
| Typed or printed name<br>Anthony A. Laurentano  |   | Telephone Number<br>(617) 227-7400            |                         |
| NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below.   |   |   |                         |
| <input type="checkbox"/>  | Total of 1 forms are submitted.   |   |                         |

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| <b>Effective on 12/08/2004.</b><br>Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818). |                     | <b>Complete if Known</b> |                        |
| <b>FEE TRANSMITTAL</b><br><b>For FY 2007</b>   |                     | Application Number       | 10/795,952-Conf. #1413 |
|  |                     | Filing Date              | March 8, 2004          |
|  |                     | First Named Inventor     | Takashi KOMURA         |
|  |                     | Examiner Name            | T. S. H. Chuo          |
|  |                     | Art Unit                 | 1745                   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27                             | Attorney Docket No. | TOW-066RCE               |                        |
| <b>TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$)</b> 120.00   |                     |                          |                        |

**METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)**

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☒ Deposit Account Deposit Account Number: 12-0080 Deposit Account Name: Lahive & Cockfield, LLP

For the above-identified deposit account, the Director is hereby authorized to: (check all that apply)

☒ Charge fee(s) indicated below ☐ Charge fee(s) indicated below, except for the filing fee

☒ Charge any additional fee(s) or underpayments of fee(s) under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 ☒ Credit any overpayments

**FEE CALCULATION**

**1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES**

| Application Type | FILING FEES           |                       | SEARCH FEES           |                       | EXAMINATION FEES      |                       | Fees Paid (\$) |
|------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------------|
|                  | Small Entity Fee (\$) | Small Entity Fee (\$) | Small Entity Fee (\$) | Small Entity Fee (\$) | Small Entity Fee (\$) | Small Entity Fee (\$) |                |
| Utility          | 300                   | 150                   | 500                   | 250                   | 200                   | 100                   |                |
| Design           | 200                   | 100                   | 100                   | 50                    | 130                   | 65                    |                |
| Plant            | 200                   | 100                   | 300                   | 150                   | 160                   | 80                    |                |
| Reissue          | 300                   | 150                   | 500                   | 250                   | 600                   | 300                   |                |
| Provisional      | 200                   | 100                   | 0                     | 0                     | 0                     | 0                     |                |

**2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES**

| Fee Description                                    | Fee (\$) | Small Entity Fee (\$) |
|--|----------|-----------------------|
| Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)            | 50       | 25                    |
| Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues) | 200      | 100                   |
| Multiple dependent claims                          | 360      | 180                   |

**Total Claims**      **Extra Claims**      **Fee (\$)**      **Fee Paid (\$)**      **Multiple Dependent Claims**

HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20.      **Fee (\$)**      **Fee Paid (\$)**

**Indep. Claims**      **Extra Claims**      **Fee (\$)**      **Fee Paid (\$)**

HP = highest number of independent claims paid for, if greater than 3.

**3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE**

If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper (excluding electronically filed sequence or computer listings under 37 CFR 1.52(e)), the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).

**Total Sheets**      **Extra Sheets**      **Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof**      **Fee (\$)**      **Fee Paid (\$)**

- 100 =      /50 =      (round up to a whole number) x      =

**4. OTHER FEE(S)**

Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)

Other (e.g., late filing surcharge): 1251 Extension for response within first month      **Fees Paid (\$)** 120.00

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|---------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------------------|----------------|
| <b>SUBMITTED BY</b> |                       |                                   |                |
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